

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA  
BIG STONE GAP DIVISION

MELINDA SCOTT,

Plaintiff

V.

WISE COUNTY DEPT. of  
SOCIAL SERVICES

and

NORTON CITY DEPT. of  
SOCIAL SERVICES

Defendants.

Case No. 2:17-cv-6

**DEFENDANT WISE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES'**  
**MOTION TO DISMISS**

Defendant Wise County Department of Social Services, by counsel, pursuant to Rule 12(b)(6) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, moves this Court to dismiss the Plaintiff's Complaint against it with prejudice on the grounds that the Complaint fails to state a claim for which relief may be granted for the reasons set forth in the accompanying memorandum.

Respectfully submitted,

WISE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL  
SERVICES

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on June 20, 2017, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, and I hereby certify that I have mailed by United States Postal Service the document the Plaintiff appearing *pro se*:

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